

## COMMISSION DECISION

of 30 May 1973

discontinuing the 4th partial invitation to tender for white sugar issued under Regulation (EEC) No 1101/73

(Only the French text is authentic)

(73/204/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES:

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 1009/67/EEC <sup>(1)</sup> of 18 December 1967 on the common organization of the market in sugar, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 174/73 <sup>(2)</sup>, and in particular Article 10 (3) thereof;

Whereas, in accordance with Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1101/73 <sup>(3)</sup> of 26 April 1973 on a standing invitation to tender for the sale for export of white sugar held by the French intervention agency, the said agency is to issue partial invitations to tender for the sale of white sugar which it holds and for determining the export refund on such sugar;

Whereas, in accordance with Article 9 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 258/72 <sup>(4)</sup> of 3 February 1972 laying down detailed rules concerning the sale by tender of sugar by intervention agencies, where the terms of the invitation to tender do not specify a maximum amount for the refund, that amount shall be fixed in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 40 of Regulation No 1009/67/EEC, after

examination of the tenders, account being taken of market conditions and potential outlets; whereas, however, pursuant to Article 9 last sentence of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 258/72, a Decision may be taken to discontinue the tender;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the Opinion of the Management Committee for Sugar;

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

*Article 1*

The 4th partial invitation to tender issued under Regulation (EEC) No 1101/73, the time limit for the submission of tenders in response to which expired on 30 May 1973, is hereby discontinued.

*Article 2*

This Decision is addressed to the French Republic.

Done at Brussels, 30 May 1973.

*For the Commission*

P. J. LARDINOIS

*Member of the Commission*

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ No 308, 18. 12. 1967, p. 1.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ No L 25, 30. 1. 1973, p. 1.

<sup>(3)</sup> OJ No L 112, 28. 4. 1973, p. 20.

<sup>(4)</sup> OJ No L 31, 4. 2. 1972, p. 22.